Reply of Government.—Cases falling under the Rules published under Notification No. 35, dated the 10th May 1889 are dealt with on the Revenue side, the amount of fine imposed under the Rules being leviable as a Revenue demand under Section 193 of the Mysore Land Revenue Code.

Subject No 75
Illicit manufacture of Akki Bhoja.

Summary of discussion.—In almost all important villages, there are arrack and toddy shops and yet the illicit manufacture of Akki Bhoja (distillation from paddy) is being carried on to the detriment of the health of many a cooly. This article is openly sold apparently under the permission of Government officers as Mohatarfa is levied for the vending.

Reply of Government.—This will be enquired into.

Subject No. 76
Sale of Abkari contract once in five years.

Summary of discussion.—Annual sales of toddy shops lead to loss both to the contractors concerned and to the Government and may therefore be replaced by quinquennial sales.

Reply of Government.—This is not possible. The matter was discussed and settled last year.

Subject No. 77
Grant of live date trees unfit for tapping for building purposes to raiyats.

Summary of discussion.—Dry trees being useless as building material, raiyats may be given for building purposes such live date trees as are unfit for tapping.

Reply of Government.—Green trees past bearing are being given.

Subject No. 78
Inamdars' claims to Toddy Revenue.

Summary of discussion.—The claims of Inamdars to arrears of Toddy Revenue may be finally settled at an early date.

Reply of Government.—The matter is engaging the attention of Government and will be settled soon.

Subject No. 79
Inamdars' right to Excise Revenue.

Summary of discussion.—In some Inam villages the Revenue from arrack and toddy is taken into account in calculating the Jodi and Gutta payable by the Inamdars though such revenue is enjoyed, not by the latter, but by Government. Either the excess collection should be refunded to the Inamdars or they should be allowed to open arrack and toddy shops in their villages.

Reply of Government.—The complaint is indefinite and will be enquired into if individual cases are brought to the notice of the Deputy Commissioner or Excise Commissioner.

Subject No. 80
Allowance to Patels for Toddy Department work.

Summary of discussion.—Patels deserve some remuneration for the services rendered by them to the Toddy Department.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

Subject No. 81
Raiyats to receive half of realizations from Ganja.

Summary of discussion.—One-half of the realizations from the cultivation of ganja may be paid to the raiyats concerned.

Reply of Government.—Noted.